NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE ______April 27, 2012



Contact:
Colleen Carter
Davenport & Company
804.697.2974
ccarter@investdavenport.com

Suffolk Media & Community Relations 757.514.4104 www.suffolk.va.us

Davenport & Company Opens Suffolk Office

SUFFOLK, Virginia (April 27, 2012) – Davenport & Company LLC, a 149-year-old independent, employee-owned investment firm, recently opened an office near downtown Suffolk. The new office is located in the Chorey & Associates Realty, Ltd. building at 330 W. Constance Road, Suite 200.

Headquartered in Richmond, Virginia, Davenport operates branch office locations primarily throughout Virginia and North Carolina. The firm is a member of the New York Stock Exchange, the Financial Industry Regulatory Association (FINRA) and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC). David Love, Senior Vice President - Investments, will operate his financial practice from this new Suffolk office. David has more than 22 years of investment experience and serves on numerous boards in the City.

"We are pleased to establish a permanent branch office in Suffolk as we continue to serve the local area. David has many ties to the Suffolk community. Davenport has also served as Financial Advisor to the City of Suffolk for several years." said I. Lee Chapman IV, President and COO of Davenport & Company.

Suffolk Mayor Linda T. Johnson stated, "We are very glad that Davenport & Company has selected Suffolk in which to expand their office presence. With their excellent reputation in the business and financial community, and their strong relationship with numerous existing clients in the area, they will truly be a valued new addition."

###